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WEATHER REPORT

Local rains tonigh tor Saturday; colder tonight.

Tomorrow High-tide—2:50 a. m. and 3:20 p. m.

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JUDGE BARLEY QUALIFIED TODAY

Takes Oath of Office This Morning For Term of Eight Years.

ELECTED LAST YEAR.

Has Served as Presiding Officer of Corporation Court For More Than 10 Years, Succeeding Judge Norton.

Before Nevell S. Greenaway, clerk of courts of Alexandria city, Judge Louis C. Barley qualified this morning at ten o'clock as judge of the corporation court for a term of eight years commencing on February 1st. Judge Barley was re-elected to the position by the state legislature a year ago but it was not until today that he formally qualified.

In taking he oath of office the ancient form was used which provides that the judge has not fought a duel or sent or accepted a challenge since the passage of the present constlution of Virginia. He furthermore was compelled to swear that he would not fight a duel or take any part in one.

The oath was as follows:

I, Louis C. Barley, do solemnly swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of Virginia, ordained by the Convention which assembled in the City of Richmond on the 12th day of June, 1901, and that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as Judge of the Corporation Court according to the best of my ability. So help me God.

I swear that I have not, while a citizen of this State, since the tenth day of July, nineteen hundred and two, fought a duel with a deadly weapon, or sent or accepted a challenge to fight a duel with a deadly weapon either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or knowingly conveyed such challenge or aided or assisted in any manner in fighting such duel; and that I will not fight a duel with a deadly weapon, or send or accept a challenge to fight a duel with a deadly weapon, either within or beyond the boundaries of this State, or knowingly convey such challenge, or aid or assist in any manner in fighting such duel, during my continuance in office. So help me God.

Judge Barley was first elected as judge of the Corporation Court in 1902, succeeding Judge J. K. M. Norton, who resigned the position. In 1906 he was re-elected for a term of six years.

Judge Barley has made a most excellent judge and few members of the State Judiciary have had so few reversals by the Supreme Court of Appeals. During his term of office many new points of law have been raised but in practically all cases Judge Barley's decisions have been sustained. He is deeply interested in his profession and every case that comes before him is carefully studied.

One characteristic that has made Judge Barley popular, not only with the members of the bar but with the public generally, is the consideration shown to those who have business in his court.

Engagement Announced.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 17.—Announcement was made today that the engagement is to be announced shortly of Miss Elinor Douglas Wise, of Baltimore, to the Duke de Richelieu, a descendant of one of the oldest families of the French nobility.

Mis Wirse recently went to Europe to study for grand opera, after a short course of study in New York, where her voice won the highest praise. She has returned to this country and is expected to arrive in Baltimore today to visit her sister, Mrs. John W. Frick.

She is the daughter of Mrs. Wise, and the late Captain Frederick May Wise, U. S. N. Besides Mrs. Frick she has two other sisters, Mrs. Josiah Macey of Morristown, N. J., anr Miss Julia Wise, who accompanied her abroad.

Another revolutionary outbreak, this time in thes tae of Tlaxcala, was reported to the State Department from Mexico today.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

A. C. Jones, of Newberry county, S. C., and one of the best known traveling men of the Palmetto State, and one time candidate on the Democratic ticket for Governor of South Carolina, ended his life at Spartanburg Wednesday shortly before noon, by firing a pistol bal linto his brain. Death was instantaneous.

President-elect Wilson favors the abolishment of the inaugural ball. This became known yesterday when he sent a letter to William Corcoran Eustis at Washington, chairman of the inaugural committee, asking him to consider the feasibility of omitting it.

To tease her husband, Mrs. Alphonse Victorine concealed herself in a trunk as she heard him enter the house at Amesbury, Mass., last Tuesday. As the cover dropped over her the bolt of the old-fashioned lock slipped into its place and in a few hours the woman was dead from suffocation. After a three days' search by the police the hiding place of the unfortunate wife was revealed.

"Izzy the Painter," head of the New York underworld's "arson trust," came from Sing Sing prison yesterday to confess to putting the torch to 200 houses within the past few months. He unbosomed himself to District Attorney Whitman and two stenographers.

The British steamer Veronese, with 139 passengers on board was wrecked at an early hour yesterday morning off Leixoes, the outport of Oporto, Portugal. Eighty-four of the passengers were saved by life lines from shore, but it is reported that sixteen were thrown out of the basket and perished.

A special cable from St. Petresburg to the New York World says: "Count Witte, in an interview at Odessa, casts serious doubt upon the story extensively printed in the United States, to the effect that Theodore Roosevelt, while President, got a letter from the emperor of Japan begging for American intervention to end war with Russia. The count says he believes that the mikado's letter to President Roosevelt was merely in the nature of a regular communication from the Japanese government accepting the principle of mediation."

Offered Worthless Checks.

Syracuse, N. Y., Jan. 17.—James McGlure Gould, former West Point cadet and football star, of Albany, and Montelair, N. J., is held here today on a charge of offering worthless checks. Gould is a son of the late Captain Gould of the Albany Zouave Cadet, and was on the verge the police say, of taking his own life when arrested. This intention seemed plain in a letter he had written to a friend in Newark, N. J. The charge against him is that of passing worthless checks on the Arlington Hotel, Binghampton, drawing it on the National Bank of Scranton, Pa.

AUTO STRIKES PLUG.

Two Men Killed and Machine is Wrecked.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 17.—William H. Walters, and Richard Davie were instantly killed early today, when an auptomobile in which they were riding struck a water plug. The machine was wrecked. The water plug was snapped off at the ground, and the city firemen were called to take the bodies out of the small lake that formed. Walters was a wealthy manufacturer of St. Louis. Davie whose home was in Cleveland, was secretary to Mrs. Helen Hathaway Britton, chief owner of the St. Louis National Baseball club.

Walters, who was driving the machine, and Davie, were returning home from an evening at the Cardinals baseball club house.

When they struck the water plug, Davie was hurled against a telegraph pole and nearly every bone in his body was broken. Walters was thrown out of the car into the middle of the street. A stream of water 17 inches in diameter shot 75 feet into the air from the broken water pipe.

Paris—A convicted murderer at Chalons was reprieved by President Fallierers and was so angry that he assaulted the keeper who brought him the news that he was not to be guillotined after all.

FLOOD CONDITIONS IN THE OHIO RIVER

No Relief in Sight Before Sunday, According to Weather Man.

DISEASES ARE RAGING.

Malaria, Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria Add to Distress of Victims of River's Overflow.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 17.—Relief from the flood conditions in the lower Ohio river valley, which have thrown hundreds of men and owmen out of employment and dirven hundreds of families from their homes, will not be in sight before Sunday, according to Forecaster Brand today. Steady rains, while apparently not affecting the 46.6 foo stage in the river was expected to keep the water from receding for several days.

Malaria, scarlet fever and diptheria are prevalent but have not reached the epidemic point. The health authorities are working day and night to prevent an oubreak of disease. Many doctors are making calls in boats.

Albert Brady, of Oakdale, who slept in a bed suspended from the roof was finally driven out of his house today by the high water. Ninety houses in Oakdale are completely submerged.

Telephonic communication south has been seriously damaged by the flood. Rockport, Ind., is entirely cut off from outside communicaiton by rail and wire. In a score of towns mail carriers are making their rounds in skiffs and delivering the post matter through second story windows of homes.

Calhoun, Ky., was still cut off from the world today, but the marooned families there were well provisioned by the relief boat which went to their aid.

No estimate of the property damage was available today. No fatalities were reported.

REPORTERS STRIKE.

Drastic Demands of New Jewish Writer's Union.

New York, Jan. 17.—New York's four Jewish daily newspapers, which have a combined circulation of more than 400,000 copies, were left without a single reporter or copy reader today as a result of a strike ordered by the new Jewish Writer's Union Typographical Union. The life of a reporter would indeed be a dream of No. 4 chartered by the International bliss were he able to work under the rules demanded by the new union.

Among some of the demands which the editors of the papers affected declared today were "too absurd to contemplate" are:

A five hour work day.

A minimum wage of $25 a week.

Copy to be rejected only after consultation with a walking delegate.

All disputes between editors and writers to be referred to the chairman of the office chapel for settlement and no man to be discharged unless the chairman agrees.

Anyone who can grind out three columns of copy in five hours to be eligible for membership in the union.

STEAMER ON ROCKS.

Passengers and Crew of Italian Steamer in Peril.

Oporto, Portugal, Jan. 17.—Nine persons had been rescued today from the Italian steamer Veronese on the rocks near here, when the increased violence of the storm made it impossible for the rescuers to work further. More than 150 passengers and members of the crew were left on the feared would break up.

When the vessel sent out distress signals, lifesavers attempted to save her in surf boats, but the violence of the storm made that impossible. A breeches buoy was then rigged and the men had been taken ashore when the work was interrupted.

Six Lose Lives at Fire.

Edmonston, Alberta, Jan. 17.—Six lives were lost in a fire that swept the business section o fthis city today. The damage it is estimated at this hour will total $300,000.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

President Taft left Washington this afternoon on a three days's "culinary jaunt" that will include Philadelphia, New York and New Haven and five banquets.

A coast to coast national highway to cost twenty millions or more is asked for in a bill introduced today by Representative Borland, of Mo. The measure provides a national highway commission of six members and calls the contemplated road "the National Old Trails Road." The road will begin at Washington.

Eigthy-seven thousand good dollars jingled in the pockets of the inaugural commitee today—and several hundred capital business men who "loaned" the dollars listened dolefully to the chink. President-elect Wilson doesn't want an inaugural ball,and the merchants and others who put up the $87,000 as a "guaranty fund" to cover expenses of celebrating the new executive's induction into office on March 4—with the positive certainty that an inangural ball would "clear" even more than the said $87,000—were stunned with surprise today. Inaugural Chairman Eustace called a meeting of his committee today to consider Governor Wilson's letter to him. In it, the President-elect pointed out that use of the Pension office building, where the inaugural ball had been held for generations, would mean a costly stoppage of governbment work in that bureau, that such a function wasn't necessary to the enjoyment of the people who came here to see the inauguration, and that he believed it his duty to have the committee "consider the feasibility of omitting the inaugural ball altogether."

Governor Wilson's diplomatic but nevertheless firm stand against the inaugural ball left the committee up in the air today. Suggestion was made today that instead of a ball President and Mrs. Wilson receive at a formal reception, to be held in the rotunda of the Capitol. But contributors to the guaranty fund got scant comfort out of the plan, as they figured no charge on inaugural visitors could be made for a "reception."

The residents of Aleandria have taken to the parcel post system, which was inaugurated by the government on January 1, last, for during the first seven days of its operation, Postmaster Eggborn reports to the department today, his postoffice handled 799 packages. Four hundred and eighty-one of these packages were received at Alexandria from distant points for delivery, while 318 were mailed there for delivery in other parts of the United States.

Some other Virginia cities and the number of packages handled during the first seven days operation of the parcel post sysem, are as fololws:

Richmond 16,072; Winchester 577, Harrisonburg, 772, Lexington, 350, Lynchburg, 2,549, Charlottesville, 1,227, Fredericksburg, 407, Clifton Forge 312.

Mr. E. B. White, of Loudoun, was a caller at the Capitol today to see Representaive Carlin.

POINCAIRE ELECTED.

Is Chosen on Third Ballot Amid Confusion.

Paris, Jan. 17.—M. Raymond Poincaire, premier, this afternoon was elected ninth president of the third republic of France to succeed President Armand Fallieres.

Poincaire was chosen on the second ballot, amid scenes of the wildest confusion, after he had challenged to a duel M. George Clemenceau, a former premier, and after a second duel challenge had been sent by Deputy Moize a Poincaire supporter to former Minister Bencour, an adherent of M. Jules Pams, secretary of agriculture.

Pams proved to be Poincaire's more serious rival, but he was more than 100 votes behind the premier on the first ballot.

Raymond Nicholas Landry Poincaire was the last prime minister in the administration of President Fallieres, the retiring magstrate. He was considered one of the greatest premiers France ever had.

London.—Hector Mirison, liberal member of Parliament for the South Hackney division has undertaken to present a silver cup to every baby born January 15 the day on which the maternity benefit law went into effect.

PEACE IS STILL HANGING FIRE

Many Speculations, But No One Seems Able to Foretell Outcome.

POWERS' NOTE READY.

Ambassadors Awaiting Turkey's Movement—European Nations Will Not Act Until Porte Shows Hand.

London, Jan. 17.—Diplomats were marking time today, awaiting some word from Constantinople in the dark, but it was confidently expected that peace would very soon be brought about. The silence of Turkey was taken to mean that the Porte was persuaded to give in to the terms of the allies.

So far as was known here the much heralded grand council at Constantinople had not been called, and the ambassadors were awaiting to present the note of the Great Powers, until Turkey made some move.

The German ambassador was authority for the statement that the Powers were in accord on the Turkish question, the note was ready, and the ambassadors were waiting only to give Turkey a chance to take he iniaiative.

In the meantime, all of the peace plenipotentiaries remained in London Turks and Balkans delegates alike. They said they were awaiting instruction.

OVER-THANKFUL WOMEN.

Floods Doctor Who Removed Needle Point From Her Finger With Letters.

New York, Jan. 17.—Ever since Dr. Henry T. Goodwin, of Stapleton Staten, Island, removed a broken needle point from Miss Mary G. Screamer's forefinger tip four years ago, he has received almost daily letters from the thankful young woman and today he had Miss Screamer summoned to court to show cause why she should not be restrained from pestering the doctor with further correspondence. Miss Screamer is a school teacher. Her letters, Dr. Goodwin said, were neatly written and well expressed but of no interest to him and not solicited. He said he has just returned to her a bushel basket full of unopened missives, but that her passion for this one-sided correspondence had not been checked. He demanded an injunction.

HOTEL WORKERS STRIKE.

Will Attempt to Interest President In Movement.

New York, Jan. 17.—According to Elizabeth Gurley Flynn, organizer of the Industrial Workers of the World, which is in charge of the Hotel Workers' strike here, says she will attempt to interest President Taft in the worker's side of the conflict. The President will be here tomorrow night to attend the banquet of the Ohio Society and the young labor leader says she will ask for him to use his influence to have the hotel managers reform conditions under which the kitchen help and waiters work.

"We want among other things," said Miss Flynn, "to establish tipping systems. That can be done by the hotel and restaurant keepers paying living wages. Then we contend that conditions in the kitchens are unsanitary.

"If I can get him I shall ask him to use his influence to have the hotelkeepers concede at least a portion of our demands.

NOTICE.

The alumnae of St. Mary's Academy will give a Progressive Euchre at the Lyceum Hall on Thursday, January 30th, at 8 o'clock. Tickets are for sale by members of the Alumnae and at Edgar Warfield's drug store.

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Rotterdam.—G. Van Der Schuren, editor, who has returned from an overland trip from Cairo to Jahannesburg says he discovered a race of giants in German East Africa.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

An automobile belonging to H. Kirk, early last night skidded on the wet in turning King and Columbus Sts., street and the front wheel of the auto was demolised when it collided with the curbing at the corner. The fender was also considerably damaged.

John Davis, 60 years old, a laborer, died yesterday at his home, 1013 Wolfe street. Several children survive him.

The funeral took place this afternoon, and the services were conducted by Rev. Father Kelley.

In the Corporation Court today a final decree was entered in the case of Jonah Bernheimer vs R. H. Cox, sergeant administrator of the estate of the late J. H. Naylor.

There will be a Free sewing machine demonstration today and next Friday at the Griffin Furniture Company's store. R. T. Menifee, an expert, representing the Free Sewing Machine Company, is in charge, and will demonstrate something new in the operation of that popular machine.

J. R. Hopkins, brother of O. B. Hopkins, president of the Griffin Furniture Company, is in Alexandria, on a visit. Mr. Hopkins has recently opened a furniture store in Cumberland, Md., which is being conducted successfully under his management.

In the Corporation Court today a decree was entered allowing an amendment to the report of the commissioner of sale in the case of Fred. G. Cowie et al vs. The Towles—Schofield Company, Inc.

Susie White, colored, aged 28 years, died in Petersburg, Thursday. Her remains will be brought to this city for interment and the funeral will take place Sunday.

Lovers of athletics will see a good game of basketball tomorrow night when the Cardinals and the Fort Myer basketball teams clash at Armory Hall at 9:00 o'clock.

MIKADO'S SECOND PERFORMANCE.

The second performance of the opera "Mikado" which was given at the Opera House last night by the Sharps and Flats drew a larger house than the first night. The opera went very smoothly and the principals and chorus repeated the excellent work of the previous night.

POLK MILLER COMING.

Famous Virginian Will Make His Last Apearance on the Stage.

Polk Miller, whose wit and pathos on the stage has gained him a reputation in every part of the United States will make his last appearance on any stage on January 28th at the Elks Auditorium and under the auspices of Alexandria Lodge of Elks. Mr. Miller retired from the platform last year but owing to the pleading of his friends and admirers to have records made of his inimitable stories he consented to go to New York to have the records made. Enroute to New York he agreed to stop over in Alexandria where he has so many friends. His appearance in his city will herefore be of a great treat and he will no doubt be greeted by a packed house. Tickets will be placed on sale next week.

With Mr. Miller comes his side partner, Col. Parker and the "Old South Quartette," undoubtedly the most unique musical "organization" on the stage. It is composed of four of the homliest negroes on earth but each man is a natural born artist when it comes to singing the famous old songs of Dixie.

FRATERNAL AMERICANS.

A largely attended meeting of Alexandria Council, No. 5 Fraternal Order of Americans, was held last night and several candidates were initiated. It was decided o hold an open session on February 18th when three prominent members of the order will speak on the aims of the organization.

ANNEXATION OPINION.

A large number of Aleandrians interested in the outcome of the annexation suit which will be decided tomorrow by Judge Bennett T. Gordon, of Nelson county, will go to Alexandria county courthouse to hear the decision rendered. The court will convene at 10 o'clock.

FATE OF HOME RULE MEASURE

House of Lords Will, it is Believed, Reject Bill Passed By House.

BELFAST WILL FIGHT.

Should Peers Fail to Concur, Measure Will Become a Law, Having Been Passed Three Times.

London, Jan. 17.—Ulster men today were basing their hopes on the House of Lords, where the home rule bill now is awaiting the second reading. It was thought to be certain that the Lords would reject the measure, giving the Asquith or third home rule bill the same treatment as that accorded the second measure, which like wise was passed by the Commons.

But the government's big majority, 110 votes by which the home rule bill passed last night, heartened the nationalists who were confident that they could in time ram home rule "down the throats" of the Lords.

But while Irishmen were jubilating, news from Ulster was ominous. From Belfast came word that Ulster was determined to fight before submitting to home rule. It was said that one man was in a dying condition today as the result of last night's anti-home rule demonstration in Belfast. He was shot in the back while thousands of Orangemen gathered around City Hall and burned a copy of the home rule bill.

Though it is a foregone conclusion that the House of Lords will reject the Asquith bill, the Nationalists in the House of Commons are confident that they can force Irish Home Rule by virtue of the so-called veto act that recently became a law.

By he veto act any measure passed three times by the Commons over the rejection o fthe Lords, automatically becomes a law.

The veto act virtually nullifies the power of the Lords.

Dublin, Jan. 17.—The Irish press today devoted much space to discussing the passage by the House of Commons of the Asquith home rule bill.

AUTOMOBILE BANDITS.

Eighteen-Year Old Youth Makes Confession to Police.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—The story of the series of daring robberies by automobile bandits here in the last two months, became known today, when States Attorney MacLay Hoyne gave out a detailed confession he obtained from James A. Perry, a young man of 18, who was arrested on an omnibus tip received by Captain Patrick Lavin.

Assuming the air of a dime novel hero, Perry admitted a score of robberies and the shooting of Policeman Fred Sticken.

Perry told of how he robbed five stores in 25 minutes and how he and three companions dashed through the business district and passed three and four times a night the automobile squad of policemen. They tooted their horns in derision at the sleuths.

More confessions are expected today. A man who gave the name of Walter Scott is under arrest with Perry and the police say they will get him to admit his guilt in the robberies.

Killed in Accident.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 17.—William H. Walters, president of the Star-Anti Splas hCompany and Russel Davie, formerly of Cleveland, and secretary of the St. Louis Cardinals, were instantly killed in an automobile accident here early today.

Killed in Wreck.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 17.—With one man dying and fourteen others injured, some of them perhaps fatally, as a result of yesterday's wreck on the Boston and Albany branch of fort Railroad, at Charlton Depot, 42 miles west of here, an investigaion to fix the responsibility was started today.

Princeton, N. J.—Twelve students will go to Trenton, N. J., to sing in a choir—as strike-breakers.

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Oriental Millinery

"Oriental styles have swept over Paris like a whirlwind," writes a correspondent of the New York World. The World's fashion news article given as a whole would form a very good description of the new style turbans we are showing, among which are the

Indian Princess Turban Kismet Turban Balkan Turban

Another style that is not Oriental, but distinctly Parisian, is known as the Aeroplane Hat.

Malines, braids, straws, and a fancy braid cloth are the materials used, with broad velvet bands that serve as brims in many cases. The head sizes are small instead of the former immense sizes.

The "pert, up-standing ornament directly in the front is the feature of the Oriental styles, while another model with a close fitting brim, elongated at the back, effect made still more pronounced by a long bow standing out at the back, is easily recognized as The "Aeroplane."

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria-- Happenings in Society.

Miss Josephine Grossman has returned to this city after spending a few days in Manassas.

Mrs. H. D. Wenrich and Miss Evelyn Wenrick have returned o Manassas after visiting friends in Alexandria.

Miss Grace Morris, formerly of Strausburg, but who has been living in Alexandria for some time past, has entered the Johnston-Willis Sanatorium, of Richmond.

Miss Helen Heishley is the guest of Mrs. Lily Spinney, in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Henry O'Bannon Cooper will give a Bridge-Luncheon on Monday in honor of her guest Mrs. Charles Greene, of New York.

Miss Etta Ambler, of Staunon, Va., is the guest of Miss Christina Kemper, in Rosemont.

Mrs. J. M. White, who has been quite sick at her home, 611 Prince street, is improving.

Miss Edith Pigeon, of Washington, D. C., was a guest this week of Miss Hattie Douglas, 913 Cameron street.

Misses Katherine Hawxhurst, Lena Ramsay and Ruth Patterson, and Mr. Boyd Brown, all of Washington, D. C., were guests yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roberts, in Fairfax county.

Many beautiful and valuable prizes have been donated to St. Mary's Alumnae for the Euchre which will be given by that organization in the Lyceum Hall on Thursday, January 30th.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Clarke, of Washington, who were visiting Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry K. Field, of 805 King street, have returned home.

Commander and Mr. James Reid and family, who have been the guests of Mrs. L. W. Reid, at her residence on Duke street, have returned to The Plains, Va.

POLICE COURT

(justice H. B. Caton, Presiding.

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

John Pines, colored, charged with assaulting children of Edna Randolph, colored, was dismissed.

John Washington, charged with assaulting Clarence Jeffries, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

Fred Jones, charged with gambling, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

Lewis Elliott, charged with vagrancy, sent to jail for 90 days.

A man charged with conducting a gambling house, was fined $20.

ITINERANT IN THE YARD

Strange Man Pulled Out of a Piano Box on Dr. E. A. Gorman's Premises

Shortly after two o'clock this morning the police heard a pistol shot on Duke street, and later a telephone message was received at the station house announcing that a man had invaded the premises of Dr. E. A. Gorman, on the north side of Duke streets, near Royal. Officers Nicholson, Kern, Garvey and Reid hastened to the doctor's residence where they learned that Mrs. Gorman had heard the intruder open the gate and enter the yard, and had awakened the doctor, who had gone down stairs, procured a pistol and telephoned for the police. Dr. Gorman in the meantime discharged his pistol, when the trespasser vanished in the northern part of the yard. The officers upon their arrival began a search of the premises and found the prowler in a piano box in which he had secreted himself when Dr. Gorman discharged the pistol.

The man was taken to the station house where he gave his name as Lewis Elliott.

The trespasser was brought before the police court this morning, and in answer to certain questions stated that he was from Norfolk and had arrived here yesterday and that his brother, Theodore Elliottt, is employed at one of the glass factories of the city. He asserted that he came to Alexandria to visit him at his quarters in the Bradock House. Elliott said he was drunk and did not know what he was doing last night.

There was no evidence to show that he had made any attempt to enter the house, and Justice Caton sent him to jail for ninety days for vagrancy.

TO HOLD SMOKER.

Alexandria Trades Council Prepare For Pleasant Evening.

The Alexandria Trades Council will hold a smoker at 8 o'clock tonight at its hall over the Alexandria National Bank building. A number of prominent men in labor circles will make addresses on the occasion. Invitations have been extended to the officers and members of the various organizations in the city to attend the affair. It is expected that it will be attended by a large gathering.

Among those slated to make speeches are the following: P. J. Conlon, vice-president of the International Associatio nof Machinists; Emmett L. Adams, Washington; John B. Colpoy, secretay of the Washington Central Labor Union; Lewis H. Machen, this city; Howard T. Colvin, secretary of the Virginia Federation of Labor, this city, and J. W. Collins, president of the Trades Council.

EULOGY ON ROBT. E. LEE.

Rev. William J. Morton, rector of Christ Church, will at the services Sunday morning next, in his sermon, deliver a eluogy on the life of General Robert E. Lee, the occasion being the recurring anniversary of the birth of the Confederate chieftain. As is well known, General Lee was a pewholder in Christ Church ,as was also George Washington. Members of R. E. Lee Camp Confederate Veterans, and M. D. Corse Camp Sons of Veterans, will attend the services Sunday morning.

WILL CLOSE BUSINESS

Resident of Southwestern Section of City Promises to Close Policy Shops

Among the cases before the Police Court this morning was that of a man residing in the southwestern section of the city who had been cited to appear by Chief Goods, Sergeant Wilkins and Officer Bell to answer the charge of conducting policy.

Upon facing the court the accused plead guilty to the charge made against him, but assured the court that he was ready to go out of the business and asked that the minimum fine be imposed in his case.

Justice Caton tried the case under a city warrant, be maximum penalty for conducting a gambling house according to the Alexandria code being $20. The justice levied this assessment.

DEATH OF FORMER RESIDENT.

Word was received in this city yesterday of the death on the 15th instant of Mrs. Eliza K. Gibbs, widow of the late Dr. Robert Gibbs, and sister of the late James S. Douglas, at her home in Mansfield, La.

MISS WATKINS LECTURE.

Miss Katherine Watkins, supervisor of the Washington Public School Kindergarten, gave a very interesting lecture on "Child's Play," before an audence of twenty mothers, yesterday afternoon, in the kindergarten room in Lee School.

She advocated simple and no expensive toys for children, so that their imagination could have full sway, also recommended plenty of blocks and a box of good water paints.

Miss Watkins paid a high tribute to the Alexandria Free Kindergarten Association for their untiring energy for seventeen years in the interest of the Free Kindergarten. A vote of thanks was tendered Miss Watkins for the pleasure and instruction given those present.

ACCUSED DISMISSED.

Most of the time of the Police Court this morning was consumed in the trial of the case of Edna Randolph, colored, who had caused the arrest of John Pines, colored, on the charge of assaulting two of her boys who are employed at one of the glass factories. R. D. Brumback represented the complainant.

The alleged victims of the assault said Pines used a board upon them, and that a colored girl who had espoused the cause of the boys was shamefully treated by Pines.

The superintendent of the works and two colored youths appeared as witnesses for the defense. They said Pines, who is employed at the plant, merely pushed the boys from the premises when they became obstreperous; also that the girl who had made the charge that she had been shamefully treated by Pines had taken a razor from her stocking during the melee presumably for the purpose of using it.

Justice Caton dismissed Pines.

DIED.

On January 16, 1913, at her residence, 210 North Washington street, Mrs. LOUISE KEENE, aged 52 years. Funeral on Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, from the residence. Friends of the family are respectfully invited. Interment private.

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Following on the heels of the impeachment of Judge Robert W. Archbald, Senator Pomerene, of Ohio, this afternoon introduced a joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment that Congress may provide for other causes of impeachment than those now provided for, and other methods for the trial of all civil officers, except the President, vice-president and supreme court members.

Shamokin, Pa. — Condemned to death for the murder of a companion, Frederick Nye, 18, smiled broadly, put out his hands handcuffed, and thanked the judge for the sentence.

NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION.

DEFEAT LICENSE.

Pittsylvania Distiller Withdraws Application.

Lynchburg, Va., Jan. 17.—Yielding to the pressure of public opinion and aware of the fact that stubborn resistance would be made to an application for a license to operate a distillery near Fairview Heights, Campbell county, W. R. Walker, of Pittsylvania, withdrew his application today.

Walker had applied to the Campbell county court at Rusburg for the lincense and when the citizens of the county heard of it they prepared to fight the matter out before the court. The hearing was to have come up today.

Investigating Accident.

Newport News, Va., Jan. 17.—The federal probe to fix blame for the Indrakuala-Julia Luckenbach sea tragedy began here today with the examination of the officers and crew of the British steamer. None of the survivors of the Luckenbach were present, but steamboat Inspectors E. W. Bray and R. E. Tapley, in charge of the hearing, indicated they would be called later to testify as to quotations attributed to them immediately after rescue, that the Indrakuala after ramming the Luckenbach, hurried away in the fog, paying only scant attention to the work of rescue of those on the sinking Luckenbach.

Captain Smith and officers and crew of the Indrakuala were present at the custom house when the hearing was opened.

TRAINS NARROW ESCAPE.

Buffalo Express Srikes Obstruction.

Philadelphia, Jan. 17.—Scores of passengers on the Buffalo Express of the Pennsylvania Railroad, due in this city at 9:20 a. m., had a narrow escape early today when the train going 40 miles an hour struck an obstruction near Lock Haven, Pa., derailing the engine and five cars. According to the railroad officials here, no one was injured, not withstanding the fact that the engine and five cars turned over on their side. The ancient hethash shr hr shr hr dlulrhss cident occurred at 3:45 this morning 117 1-2 miles west of Harrisburg. The rain was made up of two sleepers carrying Philadelphia and Washington passengers, one combination steal coach, one steel coach and a baggage and express car. All left the track execpt the Washington sleeper.

A relief train of two coaches, filled with doctors and nurses arrived at the scene of the wreck, but by the time all the passengers had been taken from the over-turned coaches.

The passengers were taken to Williamsport, Pa., on the relief train. Arrangements have been made to run a sleeper to this city and a parlor car from Harrisburg to Washington to care for the passengers.

The district superintendent reports that the wreck was caused by an obstruction of some kind on the track. He has so far been unable to determine the nature of this.

A rigid investigation is being made.

TELEGRAPH BREVITIES.

Meriden, Conn.—"Don't nag or live above your income ,or be afraid to work." by these don't Dominic Bellville and his wife have lived happily together for seventy eight years.

New York.—Fifteen-year old Freda Sutton had been absent from school fifteen days when she secured a marriage license and set the date. Magistrate O'Connor ordered her back to school.

Easton, Pa.—Two hearts each both working on time in the mother and three children was the most remarkable discovery made by physicians here while attending a case of chicken pox.

New York—Albert Lewis was awakened by the tapping of a pigeon at his window. A note told him twenty oth r pigeons had been recovered by the police.

New York—Mrs. Jennie Lynch, nce wed and not, yet unwed, has a sense to marry another man "whom he likes" better, but they won't let er go.

Rome—The Ceasar's palece was ipped with at least three elevators ording to Professor Boni, the exvator, who says he found their reins in palatine hill ruins.

Schooner Sinks.

onington, Conn., Jan. 17.—The ooner Thomas R. Wooley, bound for York to New Bedford, Mass, sank harbor early today. The cap. and crew were rescued by the w of a barge nearby.

schooner came into the harbor ng the night. In anchoring she ed with a barge and struck the water, staving a big hole in bottom.

BURGLARS IN DEPOT.

Safe is Broken Open by Explosion and Money Stolen.

Danville, Va., Jan. 17.—Early yesterday morning the Norfolk and Western Railway office at Boone's Mill, Franklin county, was broken into by a band of robbers and the iron safe blown open by dynamite and $40 in cash stolen.

Entrance seems to have been affected through a window. There is no trace of the marauders, but a body of citizens is seraching the neighborhood in the hope of locating the robbers. Bloodhounds have been summoned.

Dr. Clark's Condiion.

Richmond, Jan. 17.—The condition of the Rev. Dr. William Meade Clark, rector of St. James Episcopal Church, is reported as being much improved. He is much stronger.

Miss Emily Clark, who gave much of her blood to save her father's life, is in a most favorable condition. She will probably return to her home within a few days.

MANY CANDIDATES.

Hope to Obtain Favor Under Wilson Administration.

Candidates for federal office under the new administration are beginning to show their heads in Washington almost every day. At first there was a disposition to work quietly and under cover, but recently, since so many candidates have entered the field for various offices, it is now pretty well known who will be in the running. Among those here today was Mr. Montague, of Hampton, who is desirous of becoming district attorney for the Eastern District of Virginia. He discussed his candidacy with several members of the Virginia delegation, and it is understood that his merits will be laid before President-Elect Wilson at a later date.

WILL FORTIFY CAPE.

Government to Spend $3,614,700 at Entrance to Chesapeake Bay.

As has been stated definite and positive committment of the government to the fortification of the entrance to the Chesapeake Bay through the creation of a powerful fort at Cape Henry is involved in the action taken yesterday by the House Committee on appropriations when it reported the annual fortifications appropriation bill with a recommendation for an appropriation of $100,000 for the purchase of land at that poit as the site of the proposed fort. All that is necessary to finally commit the government to the project is for the Congress to ratify and approve the action taken yesterday. The War Department asked for $150,000 with which to buy this ground, but the committee believes it can be secured for $100,000.

The passage of this item in the fortifications bill at this session of Congress will commit the government to a project that will cost, according to estimates furnished to the committee by General Leonard Wood, $3,614,700, and make the proposed fort at Cape Henry one of the most powerful along the Atlantic Coast. It would be armed with four huge 16-inch guns, 8 12-inch mortars and 4 -6inch rifles, while four companies of coast artillerymen would be stationed there in time of peace and five companies in time of war. The four 16-inch guns will cost $780,000. They will be the most powerful weapons yet constructed anywhere in the world and the most expensive.

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MUCH-MARRIED MAN.

Waives Examination in Police Court And Strolls Back to Jail.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 17.—His "ludship" Phillip Cowardin, alias C. W., alias Patrick Blake, appeared in police court Wednesday morning to answer to the charge of bigamy. His attorney, C. M. Wait, formerly commonwealth's attorney of Culpeper, who had been engaged to defend him, waived examination, and the case was certified to the Hustings Court on February 3rd. There was no hearing and "Milord" Blake went back to the cell, twirling his moustache and smiling at the court officials.

Blake, who has a wife and six children living at Brandy, Culpeper county, is alleged to have married Miss Grave Marie Brown,, of 608 East Clay street, Hyattsville, Md., on March 30, 1912. Another ceremony was performed here by a Catholic priest on January 3rd of this year. He is said also to have a third wife here, whom he married in Hanover county in 1910. The third wife is said to be the mother of a child of which Blake is the father. She has not yet preferred any charge against him, though the police may subpoena her as a witness against him.

Blake said he was forced into the marriage with Miss Brown, though he did not offer any explantaion of the ceremony alleged to have been performed in Hyattsville. He was unperturbed during the short proceedings, and bestowed a genial smile on Captain McMahon, the man who had caused his arrest. He was committed to jail, but stated that he hoped to be able to put up bond for his appearance in the Hustings Court when his case is called.

Respite For The Allens.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 17.—Governor Mann announced at noon yesterday that he would again respite Floyd and Claude Allen. The respite is to March 7.

The Governor informed the friends of hte men that he will, on February 1, hear further reasons and arguments for the commutation of the sentences.

Pleas for the father and son were made by lawyers, ministers, relatives and State officials. The Allens were to die in the death chair this morning before 7 o'clock. Victor Allen, son of Floyd and brother of Claude is here and was made ill by the action of the Supreme Court in refusing a rehearing of the case.

Victor Allen says that both his father and brother are strong and in fine shape. He declares they would have gone to the chair conscious of no premeditated murder and with a knowledge that they began to shoot when they were attacked.

Suicide.

Richmond, Jan. 17.—Leslie E. Coleman, 28 years old, a bartender and ex. policeman, was found dead yesterday in a gas-filled room at the residence of W. J. Miller, 212 East Marshall street, where he lived.

Fatal Accident.

Richmond, Jan. 17.—The noiseless approach of a slowly moving coach prevented John R. Botoms, a car inspector, from receiving warning of his peril and he was crushed to death late Wednesday in the Chesapeake and Ohio yards.

Bottoms was 45 years old.

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NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the S. S. Shedd & Bro., Co., will be held at the principal office of the Company 111 South Fairfax St., Alexandria, Va., at 1:30 p. m., Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, to elect directors for the ensuing year.

J. P. EVANS, Secty.
Dec. 31- t-d.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria Building & Loan Association, Inc., will be held in the directors room in the Alexandria National Bank building, at 7:30 p. m., Tuesday, January 14, 1913,

C. PAGE WALLER, Jr., Secty.
31 5t.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chesapeake Blaugas Corporation will be held at Rooms 1 and 2 Alexandria National Bank building, on Thursday, January 16, 1913, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business of the corporation as may be brought before the meeting.

JAMES H. HAYDEN, Secty.
Chesapeake Blaugas Corporation.
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Stockholders Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the German Co-Operative Building Association, No. 5, all series will be held Thursday, January 9, 1913, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. at their office, 612 King Street.

JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secy.
30- t-d.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Ontario Apartment House Company for the lection of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 14, 1913, at 10 30 A. M.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secty.
Dec. 26 d 12t.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lee Apartment House Company for the election of a Board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 14, 1913, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT, President.
A. M. McLACHLEN, Secretary.
Dec. 26 d 12 t.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the MacLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 123 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 14th, 1913, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

A. M. McLACHLEN, President.
L. P. McLACHLEN, Secretary.

NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Manganese Corporation will be held at the office of the Company, 107 North Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1913, at eleven (11) o'clock A. M., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

L. M. LARKIN, Asst. Sec.
26 d 12t.

NOTICE.

The regular meeting of the stockholders of the Lyndhurst and Sherando Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, 107 North Fairfax street, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at eleven-thirty (11:30) o'clock A.M., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

L. M. LARKIN, Asst. Sec.

Notice of Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 S. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, January 20, 1913, at 1 P. M., to elect directors for the ensuing year.

R. D. MARSHALL Sec. & Treas.

Annual Meeting.

The forty-fourth annual meeting of the Independent Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Fairfax Co., Va., will be held at the company's office, corner Royal and Prince streets, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, January 13th, 1913, at 10 o'clock a. m.

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ATTEMPTS TO REVIVE RETROCESSION ISSUE.

Ever and anon certain Washingtonians and residents of Alexandria county, the latter class generally not being native and to the maner born, invoke the shade of retrocession, a question which was settled to the satisfaction of the government and the state of Virginia in 1846 by which the Old Dominion resumed jurisdiction over the portion of her territory she had at the close of the revolutionary war ceded to the government towards forming the aera of the District of Columbia. The act was mutual, the government having no use for the territory on the south side of the Potomac—a any rate special care was taken to erect all public buildings on he north side of the river.

For about half a century Alexandria was virtually the tail of the District kite, during which time the town struggled against adverse fortune, it being apparent that the government had no intention of placing any public structure in this neighborhood.

Our forefathers grew tired of these conditions and with no hopes for the future, the retrocession movement was inaugurated in order that the city could procure a charter from the Legislature of Virginia and begin housekeeping on its account.

The government had no use for territory south of the Potomac and readily consented to turn Alexandria city and county back to Virginia. This proved a turning point in our city's history. Stock was taken in railroad and canal enterprises, a locomotive work was established at the foot of Wolfe street, the Pioneer Mills were constructed, the whirr of machinery was heard in the Mount Vernon Cotton Factory and four shipyards were working to their fullest capacity.

All dreams o fa goldenera under the District of Columbia regime had vanished and the people realized the truth of the observation made in the days of Nehemiah—"The wall was built because the people had a mind to work."

As intimated above, those who occasionally attempt to blow the dead coals of retrocession into a flame, are in the main, such as have rural abiding places on the south side of the Potomac, but whose daily occupation are in the capital city. They are mostly natives of other sections and liable to fold their tents at any time.

A delegation visited President Taft yesterday and urged him to direct Attorney General Wickersham to file a bill in the Supreme Court in order to settle the question of the constitutionality of the act of 1846, which ceded back to Virginia part of the territory given by that state to help form the District of Columbia.

By a decision of the Supreme Court the merits of this case can be tried only by suit of the government against the State of Virginia.

The President promised to discuss the matter with the Attorney General.

One enthusiastic member of the delegation said: The District must have more territory, and this land across the Potomac, he declared, is the logical acquisition, Washington will not be a finished city, he said, until the Virginia hills are made a portion of it, and the eyesores there are erased."

Priests Favors Suffragettes.

It is intellectual suicide to say that voting would degrade woman, according to Rev. Joseph H. McMahon, who gave the third lecture on the Cathoilc Church and Woman Suffrage at Delmonico's, New York, Wednesday afternoon.

"Don't commit intellectual suicide," said Father MacMahon, "by declaring that woman's natural modesty and reserve would suffer by a visit to the polling place once a year. Especially do not as Catholics give as your reason for opposing woman suffrage the argument hat women would have to meet strange men there, so long as church fairs and bazars are encouraged, where our women and young girls meet friend and stranger alike. There is less danger at the polling place, which is protected by law and by the presence of the intelligent manhood of our country.

"Don't talk about ballot booths. Go out and stop the crowding in subway cars, where every vestige of delicacy has disappeared and all those fine restrictions which Christian civilization has thrown around women for the protection of their modesty are disregarded.

"Stop the performances in our theaters at which the women who attend are obliged to be glad that only their husbands are with them. Stop the matinees which young girls flock to see but say they could not endure seeing in a man's company.

"Purify your social lives. As long as you send your daughters out into factories and the haunts of commerce, where untold dangers await them, don't be guilty of the imbecility of talkng about ballot booths."

Father McMahon ended his lecture with a denunciation of the people who refer to tradition as their argument against votes for women.

"Catholic women who say they would not vote because the Blessed Virgin did not have the right to use the telephone or automobile," He said, "That is darrying tradition and conservatism to a plan that is ridiculous and moreover merely convicts the speaker of abnormal ignorance—for they are clinging to a tradition which does not belong to Catholic times or Catholic governments at all, but was introduced by the infamous French revolution and Napoleon. It was Napoleon who refused to permit women to vote. In Catholic middle ages the suffrage was granted indiscriminately to men and women alike. In Montpelier in 1334 the records show that 29 per cent. of the voting population were women. Other principalities show similar figures.

'In Tuscany, up to 1848 women voted. Lombardy had a woman mayor in 1816. Women under feudal laws when possesed of property had all administrative rights possessed by men. A woman could administer her own property even after she married, as is shown by marriage contracts of the tenth and eleventh centuries. Women could hold courts, coin money, levy troops and serve their suzerain in any way. The Countess of Flanders sat with her peers in a famous trial. King Louis le Jeune gave to women the right to sit as judges in a court at law.

"Even today in Catholic communities the abbesses are elected by the vote of the sisters. In Turin and the Catholic cantons of Switzerland the Catholic women vote for their parish priest, and the bishop is obliged to conform the election unless he has reason for disapproving the candidate for canonical reasons. In that case the election is held over again.

"If the Catholic Church permits women to vote for an officer of such tremendous responsibility as the cure of souls, who will say it is opposed to women voting for merely political officers?'

Home Rule Bill is Passed.

After a long and stern battle the home rule bill passed the British House of Commons last night by a majority of 110. Later it was read for the first time in the House of Lords.

The anti-home rule demonstration was held in the streets of Belfast last night and a copy of the bill burned amid deafening cheers. Intense excitement prevailed, but there was no disorder.

Cardinal Gibbons, upon hearing of the passage of the bill said:

"The passage of the bill reflects great credit upon the Irish members of Parliament and on the Irish people as a whole," he said, "also on those Englishmen who favored and fought for the bill. What will be the effect? Why it will make the Irish love their country even more than they do now. It will make Ireland a brighter and better land, and I am indeed glad."

Give Bail.

Allentown, Pa., Jan. 17.—Waving a preliminary hearing before Alderman Power today, Samuel Sinclair, Jr., and his nephew, R. Walter Starr, charged with kidnapping Anna Esther Steckel, the young million dollar heiress, gave $3,000 bail for trial next April. Neither of the defendants were present the bail being arranged through an attorney.

It is said Sinclair still clings to the story that the alleged abduction was an elopement and that the girl was in the plot, but repented at the last moment and tried to back out and that he then tried to force her to go. Sinclair has been dismissed as highway inspector here.

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Stockholder's Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the West Brothers Brick Company will be held at the principal office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 12 o'clock M.

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Mrs. A. R. Taber, of Crider, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by all dealers.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:02 a. m., 12:16, 3:22, 5:17 (lacal) 8:27, 9:52, 10.02 p. m., daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a. m., daily. On week days this train runs through to Milford.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE FARM NEAR ALEXANDRIA, VA.
By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia, entered at the November term, 1912, in the chancery cause therein depending of [illegible] in his own right, etc., complainant, against J. H. Allison, sheriff-administrator, etc., and others, defendants, the undersigned Special Commissioners of sale were therein ordered to expose to sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House, in the City of Alexandria, Va., decedent, Virginia Collard's portion, being Lot No. 1, of the Groveton Farm, containing about fifty acres of good land, at such time and after such advertisement as seemed to them proper, but at a price of not less than $30 per acre.
Therefore in pursuance of said decree the undersigned Special Commissioners of sale will expose to sale said fifty acres of land, at a price not less than $30 per acre, on SATURDAY, JANUARY 11th, 1913, in front of the ROYAL STREET ENTRANCE to the MARKET HOUSE, ALEXANDRIA, VA., being bounded and described as follows: Lot No. 1 of Groveton, Beginning at "A," in the centre of the County road where the line of Henderson or the Smoot tract crosses the same, and thence with said line South 89 1-2 degrees East to a stone, a corner of Clifton; thence with the Clifton line North 21 1-4 degrees East 19.75 chains to a corner of Lot No. 2; thence with the line of the same North 69 1-2 degrees West 24.80 chains to the aforesaid County road; and thence with the aforesaid County road to the beginning, containing fifty acres, more or less, said land being well wooded and in convenient driving distance of Alexandria City, Va.
Terms. All cash, or one-third cash and the balance in two equal instalments at six and twelve months. Conveyancing to be at the cost of the purchasers.
ROBINSON MONCURE
THOMAS R. KEITH
Special Commissioners of Sale

In the Clerk's Office of Fairfax County Circuit Court, Virginia, November, 26, 1912.
I, W. E. Graham, Deputy Clerk, of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, do certify that Robinson Moncure, one of the above named Commissioners of sale, has duly this day given bond as provided by law and decree entered in above named cause, with United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company as his surety, for the due performance of his duties as such Commissioner.
W. E. GRAHAM,
Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court of Fairfax County, Virginia.
The above sale has been postponed until Saturday, January 18, 1913, at the same hour and place.

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There is a good supply of most of the seasonable vegetables on the stalls today and it is the belief of the dealers that the supply of green stuff for the balance of the month will be good. Farmers near the city are short of vegetables, but a considerable amount of vegetables are received from southern points. The Washington and Baltimore markets supplying Alexandria with a good variety and of good quality.

Prices are seasonable, onions being sold for as low as 5 cents a quarter peck. Some splendid cabbage to be had for 10 cents a head. Green onions and leeks, salsify and lettuce being plentiful and of excellent quality. Some fine radishes are on sale at 5 cents for several small bunches.

Fruits, especially apples are plentiful. Florida oranges being received in large quantities and selling at from 20c to 30c dozen. Grapes are out of the market, but strawberries are now coming in more freely, but very few are to be found in the local market being sold only on order.

Meats are now in a stationery condition as far as prices go, there is very little change, possibly pork has risen in price a few cents, the farmers who usually are depended upon to supply the market having sold out their stock of hogs and calves. Veal is scarce, so is pork. Fresh beef, however, is plentiful and prices are not higher than last week.

Chickens are in demand and sell at prices that should enable the lover of that delicacy to purchase liberally.

Good country butter brings from 28c to 30c, and eggs are selling at from 23 to 25 cents a dozen.

Current Prices.

Roast beef	15c to 23c lb.
Legs of Lamb	20c & 25c lb
Breast of Veal	18c
Fresh Hams	18c lb
Pork Loins	18c to 20c lb.
Veal Cutlets	30 to 35c lb.
Veal Roast	20c to 25c lb.
Lamb Chops	15c to 35c lb.
Beef Liver	13c lb.
Lard	12 1-2c to 18c lb
Smoked Hams	18c to 20c lb.
Smoked Shoulders	15c lb.
Bacon	22c and 23c lb.
Sausage	12c to 18c lb.
Puddings	12 1-2c to 15c lb
Chickens	25c lb.
Eggs, country, dozen	35 and 38c
Eggs, Western,	23 & 25 c doz.
Butter, creamery	35c lb.
Grapes, a basket	25c
Onions	10c 1-4 peck
Sweet Potatoes, peck	40c
Irish Potatoes	30c peck
Lettuce	5, 8c, and 10c
Apples,	40c and 50c peck
Cabbage, per head	8c
Celery	5c, 8c, 10c bunch
Egg Plants	10c to 15c each
Radishes	2 and 3 bunches for 5c
Papers	5c or 3 for 10c.
String Beans	20c 1-4 peck
Oyster Plant	5c and 8c
Pumpkins	5c, 10c, 15c
Oranges, per dozen	25c and 35c
Grapefruit	4, 5 6 for 25c
Nuts, 2 pounds for	25c
Fresh Tomatoes	15c lb.
Spring Onions	2 for 5c
Lisks	1c each
Spinach	10c 1-4 peck
Kale	8c 1-4 peck
Honey	20c pound

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IS SHREWD BUSINESS WOMAN

Mrs. Frank Hing of New York Has Been Successful in Accumulating American Dollars.

Waiting on customers with an Oriental charm and politeness that daily wins new patrons to her laundry in Bleeker street, Mrs. Frank Hing, daughter of the Flowery Kingdom, is rapidly accumulating American dollars that are estimated already to reach into the thousands.

Mrs. Hing, who is a fine specimen of the Chinese matron of middle age, is a militant suffragist of the most pronounced type. She is an advocate of "votes for women," and points with pride to the action of the new Chinese assembly in granting suffrage to her sisters in China.

The first Chinese business woman in New York city, and probably in this country, came to the United States only two years ago, quickly acquired a speaking knowledge of the English language, and by reason of her fine aptitude for business was speedily elevated by her husband to take full charge of the laundry.

Mrs. Hing receives the laundry packages, gives out the checks, receives the money, pays the bills, and her husband stands over the washtub and cooks the meals in a rear room, assisted by an 18-year-old son.

Soon after Mrs. Hing assumed charge of the business she began to buy and sell second-hand clothing.

All day long, and even into the late hours of the night, men who are in trouble financially can be seen entering the laundry to part with wearing apparel in order to raise money to eat and to pay for a night's lodging.

Many of these come from the large men's hotel across the street. In all such transactions Mrs. Hing takes advantage of their plight with Chinese cunning and gets for a trifling cost garments that are renovated and afterward sold at a big profit.—New York Herald.

SMALL LESSON IN ETIQUETTE

Probably Mickey Shea Stretched the Truth, but the Lesson Must Have Been Driven Home.

Before Mickey Shea got into Tammany politics in New York he was a newsboy in Toledo. Then he became a page in the United States senate. Then he came to New York and began to get rich. That sort of an education quickens one's wits and sharpens any native ability one may own for a sort of physical repartee.

"Mickey landed in Atlantic City one hot night last summer," said a friend. "The only room he could find in the resort was a double-bedded one—and another man had already contracted for the other bed. In the morning Mr. Shea rolled over with a sleepy grunt, wakened slowly, and then peered in horror into the mirror. He beheld his roommate sharpening a set of yellow teeth with Mr. Shea's own toothbrush.

"'Fine morning, shipmate,' said the offender, when Mr. Shea finally climbed out of bed.

"'True for you,' said Mr. Shea heartily. He proceeded slowly with his toilet. By and by he began to look around the room.

"'See anything of a toothbrush around here?' he asked.

"'Why, yes,' said the other. 'Here is one on the mantel.'

"'O,' said Shea. 'That isn't my toothbrush. I use that to put flea powder on my dog.'"—Cincinnati Times-Star.

Finesse.

Senator Cummins, discussing a campaign victory, said with a smile:

"It was won by finesse. The finesse displayed in it reminds me of a Concord banquet.

"'Why is it that you fellows are omitting wine from your banquet this year?' one Concord man asked another.

"'So as to make sure of the presence of the Al after dinner speakers of the country,' was the reply. 'We have invited them, and they won't dare to stay away.'

"'Why not?'

"'For the reason that if they did people would say it was because there was no wine, you know.'"

"What do you think of Fielding?" she asked young Mr. Ashby.

"Oh, it's important, of course, but it won't avail anything without good batting."

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WEEK'S HAPPENINGS IN FRATERNAL CIRCLES.

Alexandria Lodge, B. P. O. E. held their regular weekly meeting Monday night in their lodge room in their home on Prince street, and transacted business of importance to the lodge.

On Monday night a called communication of Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 120 Ancient Free and Accepted Masons was convened in Masonic Temple at which time work was exemplified in a most excellent manner.

Last night this same lodge met in stated communication and further exemplified the work, and also transacted business of a routine nature.

A very busy and interesting session of Oriental Lodge Knights of Pythias, was held in their Castle Hall on north Pitt street Tuesday night.

The usual Wednesday night meeting of Sarepta Lodge of Odd Fellows was convened in Odd Fellows Hall on north Columbus street, on the 16th, at which time matters of importance to the lodge was discussed and disposed of. Potomac Lodge will meet in the same hall tonight, and transact their usual large budget of business.

Samarian Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F., held a meeting Tuesday night, when the officers were installed by District Deputy President Mrs. Theresa Anderson. Two candidates were also initiated.

A very interesting council of Seminole Tribe, No. 35, Improved Order of Red Men was held in their council house in the Alexandria National Bank building on Tuesday night. One application for membership was presented, and other business of a routine nature was put through.

Osceola Tribe No. 1, assembled around their council fire on Wednesday night, in their wigwam in the old Elks Hall, at which time only business of a general character was transacted.

A regular council of Silver Moon Council No. 26, Degree of Pocahontas was kindled in their tepee on Wednesday night, at which meeting it was announced that at their next regular council on the night of the 22nd, their recently eleced chiefs would be installed.

That sprightly youngster among the fraternities known as Lone Star Camp No. 1, American Indian Guards, (a junior society of Red Men), will meet in regular weekly camp tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Young People's Building. This is certainley a live wire, in secret society circles, as they have already a membership of 30, and more to join tonight. A 20-piece brass band has been organized, and they expect to have their instruments now in a very short time.

CZAR PUNISHES BROTHER.

Grand Duke Michael Married Woman of the People.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 17.—Because he married a woman in private life against the will of the Emperor, the Grand Duke Michael, brother of Emperor Nicholas, was today removed from his lofty rank in the army and forced to turn over his affairs and property to a guardian.

The imperial manifesto specifically removes the Grand Duke of his duties as commander of the Chevalier Guards and establishes a guardianship over his person, property and affairs under the supreme direction of the Emperor, while the administration of his estate is transferred to a department of the imperial court.

It states that these steps are taken by the Emperor "to mark his disapproval of the recent marriage of th Grand Duke to Mme. Sheremetievskaia."

The manifesto also removes the Grand Duke from his position as regent-designate during the minority of the Imperial Crown Prince in case of the death of the present Emperor.

The issue of a further rescript selecting a successor to the Grand Duke Michael in the regency is expected immediately. No name has been divulged, but the Grand Duke Dimitri Pavlovitch, son of the Grand Duke Paul, has been frequently mentioned in unofficial gossip.

GOATS TO WAR ON MALARIA.

Expected to Eat Shrubbery in Which Mosquitoes Breed.

While a small army or goats is deployed from Fort Washington, one of the citadels guarding the Potomac river approach to the national capital, to wage war on the shrubbery that is a breeding ground for mosquitoes, a flying squad of artillerymen probably will be ordered out to protect the goats. This was practically determined upon yesterday.

The goats will work for the benefit of the fort's garrison by eating up the rank underbrush, while the soldiers will return the compliment by shooting their horned allies away from the mountain laurel buds, which play havoc with their digestion.

Fort Washington has the reputation of being the most malarial fort in the country, and War Department officials conceived the idea of enlisting the services of the goats to destroy the breeding places of the mosquitoes.

The Deparment of Agriculture being appealed to, announced that such innocent plants as poison ivy and poison oak were delicacies to goats. It warned against mountain laurel buds, however, as being a deleterious diet.

Forty goats are to be turned loose in the mosquito war.

FOR RENT—Store, $15.00 per month. Apply 921 King street. 13 3t

ECHO OF REV. CAVNAUGH.

Former Free Methodist Preacher Now in White Haven, Pa.—Sends One of His Tracts.

Rev. John Cavnaugh, who for several years was pastor of the Free Methodist Church in this city, and who for a third of a century has at times preached in Alexandria streets, is now located in White Haven, Pa. Occasionally he sends papers of other cities containing notices of his work to the Gazette Office. A day or two ago he enclosed a tract he has recently published. In the introduction to his latest missive he says:

"When a banker runs off with a hundred thousand dollars they send for the family doctor who feels the bumps in his head and pronounces him insane because his grandfather put his socks on wrong side out fifty years ago. Let a tramp steal a bone of meat or a loaf of bread then the policeman puts a bump in his head with his club and ninety days. The banker goes to the insane asylum for three weeks, then runs for Congress or a president of a railroad."

WANTED—Men and Boys to learn Automobile business. Practical course in our shops. Cheap tuition; good positions for graduates. Carolina Auto School, Charlotte, N. C. 16 1m

FOR RENT.—A nice 6 room frame house, city water. Location on Washington street extended. Phone or call Aaron Odell, City Market. 15 4t.

Clergyman's Son Had Tuberculosis; Now Well

People who have Consumption are often filled with bright hopes of recovery, only to realize that improvement is but temporary. Consumption is dreaded by everyone. Those who had it and used Eckman's Alterative can testify to its beneficial effects. No one need doubt it—there is plenty of evidence from live witnesses. Investigate the following:—

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"Gentlemen:—Prior to Feb., 1908, I was located in Rochester, N. Y., suffering with La Grippe, which developed into Tuberculosis. My physician gave me one month to live. I was having terrible night sweats and mid-day chills and losing flesh rapidly, having gone from 155 to 135 pounds. I coughed and raised continually and became so weak that walking a few feet exhausted me. On my return home, my regular physician gave me little encouragement. My father, who is a clergyman, heard of Eckman's Alterative and induced me to take it. The night sweats and chills disappeared, my cough became easier and gradually diminished and in a few days I developed an appetite, the first in months. I am now in perfect health, back to 155 lbs. I feel certain that I owe my life to Eckman's Alterative."

(Signed) E. H. COWLES.

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(Signed) REV. J. J. COWLES, Pastor Presbyterian Church.

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Hudson's Pharmacy.

Tramp in Bride's Bed.

'Twas a soft, down bed, with brass trimmings, in a bridal chamber, on which he dropped to slumber yesterday morning, after he had trudged many, many miles. But alas! there were objections from various persons. Now Edward Keller, a non-resident by accident, stevedore by calling, traveler by choice and idler by inclination, will have to spend many, many nights upon the unimpressionable couch in a cell of the Baltimore city jail. He failed to possess $5 and costs, the amount of a fine imposed by Justice Dean, in the Northeastern Police Court, yesterday afternoon for rolling up nice and comfying the big brass bed in the newly furnished home of Mr. and Mrs. David B. Kirschner, who were married on New Year's eve and who yesterday morning took up quarters at 1512 East Baltimore street.

It was shortly before noon that Mrs. Kirschner, formerly Miss Sarah Saiontz, daughter of the head of the local firm of Saiontz, & Simon, furriers, went to inspect her bed room and there found Keller in the bed, emitting sounds suggestive of a buzz saw. Mrs. Kirschener did not scream She went down stairs, called the colored maid, bade her to watch at the door and then went in search of a policeman. She found Patrolman Mc. Intyre on Caroline street, near Baltimore. Then followed Keller's rude awakening.

On the way to the Northeastern Police Station Keller explained that on passing the house earlier in the day he saw the furniture being installed and was struck by the beauty of the bed and was seized with an overwhelming impulse to test its down qualities. When the colored maid left the house for a few moments he went aloft and there tumbled in for a snooze.—Baltimore American.

WAR ON TIPS.

Great agitation is paramount at this time in regard to the universal tipping custom. It is true it is embarrassing and sometimes the one who doesn't tip is the loser. When two men are frequenters of a place the difference is noticeable. No matter which one comes first, the fellow who tips gets the best and the quickest and it is aacompanied with Chesterfieldian airs, although the other one is paying as much for his dinner or lunch, but he is taken as a habit or a matter of course. But the tip we speak of is to the householder, whether it is the King or Queen of the home. We want to give it to you. In buying,go to the store where first comes is the first served, your money buys as good as any one's, and you are attended with the same smile. "I am glad to see you," and suherede out with the gracious "call again," and above all, you know yourselves that the boots, shoes, or rubbers that you buy are the best obtainable. All these are combined at the shoe parlors of John A. Marshall & Bro.

WOMAN BREEDS ESKIMO DOGS

Seems Queer Occupation, but She Has Made a Remarkable Success of the Work.

At Grove Park, one of the suburbs of London, Mrs. Scott conducts a very interesting dog farm. Her specialty is Eskimo dogs, which she breeds and trains for the market. The market is not very large, but it is sufficient to make it worth her while to raise and train the best possible Eskimo dogs. It is not the food market, nor the ordinary dog market. It is the market for Eskimo dogs which are trained for Arctic exploration.

If you decide to make a journey to one of the poles, you know that Eskimo dogs are absolutely essential. You can get good Eskimo dogs in Greenland, or in Alaska. But the good dogs in Greenland may not be exported except by special permission of the Danish government; and the good dogs in Alaska are not so good.

One trouble with ordinary Eskimo dogs is that they have no breeding and no discipline. They will obey the master with whom they have been brought up, but when they start after fish or other game, even their master can control them only by the exercise of brute force. For the purposes of your exploration you need dogs that will obey orders given by a white man, dogs that are broken to the harness and are not afraid of work, dogs that have learned team work.

It is this kind of dog that Mrs. Scott raises for the market. Her kennels have only pure blooded animals of carefully selected stock, and from earliest puppyhood she trains them in how to eat and how to work. When she gets through with an Eskimo dog the animal is not nearly so ferocious as one that just "growed up" in the surroundings of an Eskimo village. They adapt themselves quickly to new masters, and they have acquired good eating manners, so that they are not so likely to attack the cupboard or fresh game.

Mrs. Scott feeds her animals no meat except pemmican and dried fish brought from Norway; a large part of the diet is a specially prepared biscuit. She has supplied trained dogs for a number of Arctic and Antarctic expeditions.—Scientific American.

SEEM TO HAVE LONG LIVES

Politicians, in England, at Least, Find It One of the Healthiest of Professions.

Politics would appear to be among the healthy professions, judging by the number of members of both houses of parliament who have passed the age of three score and ten. The lords, whose legislative duties are less strenuous, have, however, a larger number of veterans in their ranks than the commons, as there are 23 peers who have reached eighty and over, while only 19 members of the lower house have seen their seventieth birthday.

The oldest peer is the earl of Wemyss, who is ninety-four years old. Lord Strathcona and the duke of Grafton following with ninety-two and ninety-one years respectively, to their credit. Mr. Samuel Young, who is ninety, in spite of his name, is the doyen of the commons, Mr. Thomas Burt, the "father" of the house, being only seventy-five, and junior in regard to age to Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, Mr. Jesse Collings, Sir Henry Kimber, Mr. Robert Cameron, Sir John Baker and Sir Thomas Roe.—London Globe.

Le Petit Caporal.

Las Cases, the biographer of Napoleon Bonaparte, thus describes the origin of the title Le Petit Caporal: A singular custom was established in the army of Italy, in consequence of the youth of the commander, or from some other cause.

After each battle the oldest soldiers used to hold a council and confer a new rank on their young general, who, when he made his appearance in the camp, was received by the veterans and saluted by his new title.

They made him a corporal at Lodi and a sergeant at Castiglione; and hence the surname of "Petit Caporal," which was for a long time applied to Napoleon by the soldiers.

How subtle is the chain which unites the most trivial circumstance to the most important events! Perhaps this very nickname contributed to his miraculous success on his return in 1815. While he was haranguing the first battalion, which he found it necessary to address, a voice from the ranks exclaimed, "Vive notre petit caporal! We will never fight against him!"

Hand Mirror of Brass.

Now only Egypt's first ladies ever indulged in the luxury of a hand mirror. True, they were not made of the heavy plate glass that is used in those in present use.

Before this mirror became oxidized it was in a highly polished state, and brass, when polished, can reflect a face to all intents and purposes as well as glass. The body is round, or as round as it could be made with an Egyptian hammer, and the handle has the same graceful curves of those of today.

French Machine to Moisten Stamps.

French postoffices will in future be provided, officially, with stamp moistening appliances, an innovation which is hailed by the press as a hygienic reform. As Les Nouvelles put it "the action (of stamp licking) was not only dangerous, but entirely devoid of elegance."

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

Henry K. Field and Jennie W. Hopkins, joint partners trading and doing business under the firm name and style of Henry K. Field & Co.
Vs. Complainants
Samuel Bendheim, Lewis Bendheim and Samuel Bendheim and Lewis Bendheim, joint partners, trading under the firm name and style of D. Bendheim & Sons and M. F. Piper.
In Chancery
To
Henry K. Field and Jennie W. Hopkins, joint partners trading and doing business under the firm name and style of Henry K. Field & Company Samuel Bendheim, Lewis Bendheim and Samuel Bendheim and Lewis Bendheim, joint partners trading under the firm name and style of D. Bendheim & Sons, M. F. Piper, Thomas W. Robinson, The New York Architectural Terra Cotta Company, Hugo Herfurth, Jr., trading and doing business as Herfurth Brothers, and Rudolph West & Company, Incorporated, and all other persons, having or claiming to have liens upon the property in the Bill and proceedings mentioned, and entitled to participate in the distribution of the fund under the control of the Court in this case.

TAKE NOTICE that I have fixed on the 1st day of February, 1913, at my office No. 128 South Royal street, Alexandria, Virginia, between the hours of 10:00 A. M. and 6 P. M. as the time and place when I will proceed to execute the decree entered by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 23rd day of December, 1912, in a certain chancery suit depending therein, wherein Henry K. Field et als, are complainants and Samuel Bendheim et als are defendants by which decree I am required to ascertain and report as follows:

First: The date upon which the building in the bill and proceedings mentioned was completed or the work otherwise terminated thereon and the amount due by Samuel Bendheim and Louis Bendheim individually and as partners trading under the firm name and style of D. Bendheim & Sons to M. F. Piper on account of the construction of the house or building in the bill of complaint and proceedings mentioned on the 12th day of July, 1912.

Second: The names of the several parties who have liens upon the said house, building or structure growing out of its construction, and of the lot, piece or parcel of land necessary for the convenient use and enjoyment of the said premises, together with a description of the same and the amounts of the said several liens.

Third: A scheme for the distribution amongsts those entitled thereto of the amount which he shall so ascertain as being due to the said M. F. Piper. And in the event that said fund shall not be sufficient to pay in full the several parties entitled to liens upon the property hereinbefore referred to, then to make a statement showing the percentage of said fund to which each of several lien creditors are entitled.

Fourth: What amount will constitute a reasonable compensation to the complainants' solicitor for instituting and conducting this suit.

Fifth: It is further adjudged, ordered and decreed that the said Special Commissioner give notice of the time and place of taking the accounts directed by this decree by publication once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, which is a convenient newspaper and that such publication shall be equivalent to personal service of such notice upon all parties claiming to have liens upon the property in the bill and proceedings mentioned and entitled to participate in the fund under the control of the court herein.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of January, 1913.

LOUIS N. DUFFEY, Special Com.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of December, 1912.

William Albert Berkeley,
Vs. In Chancery.
Edna Ellen Berkeley,
Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree amensa et thoro from the defendant Edna Ellen Berkeley, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment, without lawful cause or excuse; and that the complainant, William Albert Berkeley, be decreed such further and other relief as to equity is right.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Edna Ellen Berkeley, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That the said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste.

Chas. E. Corgan, P. Q.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of December, 1912.

Mary C. Wright Long,
Vs. In Chancery.
William Ralph Long.
Memo:

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant an absolute divorce from defendant, upon the lapsing of three years from the original desertion, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment; for resumption of maiden name; and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, William Ralph Long is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That the said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A Copy—Teste:

Robinson Moncure, P. Q.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
Clerk.

Stockholders Meeting.

Pursuant to the requirements of the by-laws, notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the New Washington Brick Company, for the election of directors to serve for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, 111, South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on the first Thursday after the second Monday, being the sixteenth day of January, 1913, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P. M.

E. L. WHITE Prest.
W. B. Hoover, Secty.

Notice of Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria National Bank will be held in the office of the banking house at the corner of King and Royal streets, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 14th day of January, 1913, at 11-12 o'clock, for the election of Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

14 30t.

T. C. SMITH, Cashier.

The annual meeting of stockholders of this bank will be held at the banking house on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of directors and such other business as may regularly come before the meeting.

GEO. E. WARFIELD, Cashier.
First National Bank, Alexandria, Va.

HOWARD FIELDS, Esq. ..
Auctioneer. ....

By virtue of a deed of trust bearing date the 6th day of May, 1905, and duly of record in the land records of the County of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 109, Page 568, made by Ashley H. Miner and others, to the undersigned trustee, and being thereunto requested by the legal holder of the note thereby secured default having been made in the payment of the same, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale, at public auction on

SATURDAY, the 1st DAY of FEBRUARY, 1913 ,at 3 O'clock P. M.

in front of the premises, all those two parcels of ground, lying and being in the County of Alexandria, Virginia, on the east side of Mt. Vernon Avenue, to the north of Hume Schoolhouse, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

First—Beginning at a point in the center of Mount Vernon Avenue, 9.82 poles north of the north corner of Glover's lot, and running thence S. 77 degrees E. 85 poles; thence N. 81 degrees E. 18 poles; thence N. 12 degrees 20-' E. 15 poles; thence S.81 degrees W. 31.5 poles; thence N. 77 degrees W. 72 poles to the center of Mount Vernon Avenue; and thence along the center line of said avenue S. 18 1-2 degrees E. 9.82 poles to the beginning containing 7.11 acres.

Second: Begining at a point in the center line of Mount Vernon Avenue 19.64 poles north of Glover's lot, and running thence S. 77 degrees E. 72 poles; thence N. 81 degrees E. 31.50 poles; thence N. 12 degrees 20-' E. 14 poles; thence S. 81 degrees W. 40.98 poles; thence N. 77 degrees W. 63 poles to the center in line of Mount Vernon Avenue; and thence with the said center line S. 18 degrees 30-' E. 0.18 piles to the beginning; containing 7.11 acres.

Terms of Sale:—Cash; all cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

DOUGLASS STUART, Trustee.
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VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 30th day of December, 1912.

Florence Buckner Washington,
Vs. In Chancery.
Augustus Washington.
Memo:

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant, Florence Buckner Washington, an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant, Augustus Washington, on the ground of desertion and abandonment for more than 3 years; and that complainant have custody and raising of the infants Ida Washington and Lillian Washington; resumption of maiden name; and for such further and general relief as to equity is right.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Augustus Washington, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said denendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
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